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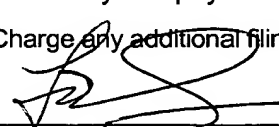
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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 19, 2002 (Paper No. 5),
please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please rewrite claims 1, 5, and 7 as follows:

1. An active pixel sensor device, comprising:

a sensor array of pixels, arranged in logical units, wherein each pixel comprises a
photosensor element, an in-pixel buffer element, and an in-pixel selector element; and

a plurality of analog-to-digital converters, formed on the same substrate as said pixel sensor
array, and each associated with N logical units of the pixel sensor array, each analog-to-
digital converter including an ADC portion which receives an analog signal from one of